

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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 LEIGH ANNE ZAPPIN, : 15 Civ. 7271 (PKC) (JCF)  
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 Plaintiff, :  
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 - against - :  
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 HARRIET NEWMAN COHEN and COHEN :  
 RABIN STINE SCHUMAN LLP, :  
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 Defendants. :  
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 TO THE HONORABLE P. KEVIN CASTEL, U.S.D.J.:

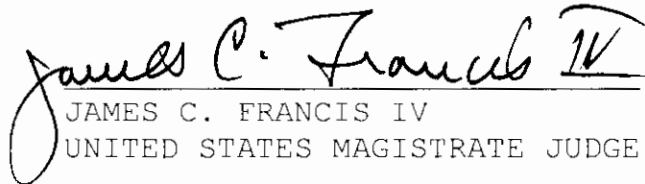
REPORT AND  
RECOMMENDATION

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The complaint in this action was filed on September 15, 2015, and a summons was issued on September 17, 2015. However, service was never effected on the defendants. By Order dated February 11, 2016, I directed the plaintiff to submit by February 29, 2016, a letter setting forth any reasons why the action should not be dismissed. The plaintiff never responded. I therefore recommend that the complaint be dismissed without prejudice under Rule 4(m) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1) and Rules 72, 6(a), and 6(d) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the parties shall have fourteen (14) days from this date to file written objections to this Report and Recommendation. Such objections shall be filed with the Clerk of the Court, with extra copies delivered to the chambers of the Honorable P. Kevin Castel, U.S.D.J., Room 1020, and to the chambers of the undersigned, Room 1960, 500 Pearl Street, New York, New York

10007. Failure to file timely objections will preclude appellate review.

Respectfully submitted,

  
JAMES C. FRANCIS IV  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Dated: New York, New York  
March 8, 2016

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